May 2012 Labor Report June 15, 2012



Kansas Overview

	Current Level	Over the Month <u>Change</u>	Over the Year <u>Change</u>
Kansas ¹			
May Unemployment Rate	5.8%		- 0.7
May Nonfarm Jobs	1,359,400	+ 7,300	+ 6,000
Industry adding most jobs:			
OTM ² : Government	263,900	+ 2,100	
OTY ³ : Professional and Business Services	156,900		+ 7,900
Initial Claims ⁴	13,484	+ 1,755	+ 216
Continued Claims ⁴	100,208	- 24,513	- 27,446

- 1) Estimates are not seasonally adjusted.
- 2) Over the month.
- 3) Over the year.
- 4) Regular Intrastate plus Agent (Kansas residents).

Source: Kansas Department of Labor, Labor Market Information Services, in conjunction with the Bureau of Labor Statistics